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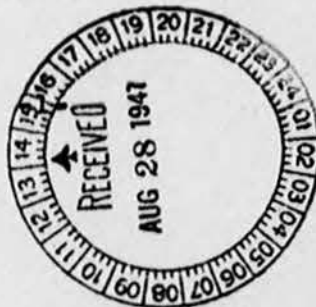
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Message of the China Communist Party concerning the Japanese  
Advance on Lukowkiao. (July 8, 1937)

All newspaper offices, corporations, armies, the Nationalist  
Party, Nationalist Government, Military Council, all brother!

At 10 P.M. on the 7th, the Japanese army attacked the Fong  
Chi-an forces of the Chinese Garrison at Lukowkiao, demand-  
ing their withdrawal to Changsin-tien. The troops did not  
obey the demand, and a clash ensued. At present now the armies  
are confronting each other. The Ping-tsin and North China  
Regions are already now exposed to Japan's armed invasion.  
The time is extremely critical. Regardless of that the Japanese  
provocation may develop into a grand-scale invasion or result  
in diplomatic demands which may lead to future invasions.  
This dangerous situation tells us that the slogans "New  
Recognition" or "New Policy" toward China repeated by former  
Japanese Imperialists were smoke screens in preparation for  
a new advance. The Chinese Communists have pointed this out  
to the people from early days. Now the screen has been removed.  
The Chinese peoples are now faced with the danger of invasion  
by Japanese imperialism.

All the brothers of all China! Ping-tsin is now in  
danger! The Chinese people are at a crisis!



Resistance is the only way to emancipation. We demand that the people effect a decisive contra-attack against the Japanese army and prepare at once for the arrival of a new large incident. People of all classes, must discard all hope or expectation of a compromising peace with the Japanese.

All brothers in China!

We should praise and support the heroic resistance of the Fong Chih-an troops. We must admire and support the declaration by the North China authorities that we live or die with our country. We demand that General Sung Che-yuan call out the entire 29th Army and push forward to meet the enemy at the front. We demand that the Nanking Central Government aid the 29th Army instantly and effectively facilitate the patriotic movements of all peoples, strengthen the fighting spirit, mobilize the armies of all kinds and prepare for war. Every under ground traitor and all Japanese espionage shall be purged and the rear shall be fortified. We demand that all the people support the holy Anti-Japanese war of self-defense.

Our Slogan:

Defend Tientsin with arms! Defend North China!

Never let Japanese imperialism invade even a bit of Chinese land! Offer the last drop of blood for the defence of our land!



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Unite all brothers in China, the Government and the Army,  
in establishing the strong great wall of a United Nation.  
Front, and in resisting the Japanese invasion. Unite  
Nationalists and Communists closely for resistance to the  
new invasion of the Japanese! Drive the Japanese from China!

Central Council of Soviet China.

\*arrival incident

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Certified at Tokyo,  
on this 27th day of June, 1947.

/s/ HAYASHI, Kaoru (seal)

I hereby certify that the above signature and seal were affixed hereto in the presence of this witness.

At the same place,  
on the same date.

Witness: /s/ SATO, Takegoro (seal)



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コソ我々ノ出降ダ。我々ハ進攻セル日本軍ニ即時降参タル反響ヲ與ヘ新  
タナル大事變ニ應ズベク、即時準備スルヲ要求ス。全國上下直チニ日  
寇トノ和平苟安ノ希望、評價ヲ放棄スベキデアル。

全中國ノ同胞タチ！我々ハ馮治安部ノ英勇抗戰ヲ讚揚擁護スベキデ  
アル。我々ハ華北當局ノ國土ト存亡ヲ共ニスルトノ宣言ヲ讚揚擁護ス  
ベキデアル。我々ハ宋哲元將軍ガ全二十九軍ヲ即時動員シ、前線ニ出  
動、應戰スルヲ要求ス。我々ハ南京中央政府ガ即時旦ツ切實ニ二十九  
軍ヲ援助スルヲ要求スルト共ニ、全國民衆ノ愛國運動ヲ解放シ抗戰的  
意氣ヲ發揚シ、全國海陸空軍ヲ動員シ、應戰ヲ準備シ、中國ニ潛伏セ  
ル漢奸賣國賊分子、一切ノ日寇「スパイ」ヲ即時肅清シ、後方ヲ鞏固  
トナスヲ要求ス。我々ハ全國人民ガ前線ナル抗日自衛戰線ヲ全力援助  
スルヲ要求ス。我々ノ口號左ノ如シ。

武裝保衛天津、保衛華北

日本帝國主義ニ寸土タリトモ中國ヲ侵略サセルナ！

國土保衛ノタメ最後ノ一滴ノ血ヲ流セ！全中國同胞、政府ト軍隊國



結シテ、民族統一戦線ノ鞏固長城ヲ建立シ、日寇ノ侵略ニ抵抗セヨ！  
國共兩黨親密ニ合作シテ日寇ノ新進攻ニ抵抗セヨ！  
日寇ヲ中國カラ驅逐セヨ！

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